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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Jacques HABATJOU

Group Art Unit: 3752

Application No.: 10/830,121

Examiner: J. BOECKMANN

Filed: April 23, 2004

Docket No.: 119426

For: A DEVICE FOR SPRAYING A SUBSTANCE, INCLUDING A REMOVABLE RESERVOIR

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the August 11, 2006 Office Action, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Applicant understands that, as no due date was specified in the Office Action summary, the due date for replying to the Office Action is February 11, 2007. Applicant's representative conducted a brief telephone interview with Examiner Boeckmann on August 29, 2006 to confirm this. Examiner Boeckmann agreed that the due date for responding to the Office Action is February 11, 2007. Accordingly, Applicant understands that no petition and/or fees are due for the entry of this response.

Applicant appreciates the indication of allowability regarding claims 8, 18, 19, 27, 35, 37, 39 and 42. Those claims are indicated as allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the features of the base claim and any intervening claims. The remaining claims are also allowable as discussed below.